

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 36, 49, 63, 66 and 67, without prejudice and amend claims 35-55, 57-62, 64-65 and 68 to read as follows:

35. (Currently Amended) A position selector device, comprising:

~~a base body, and~~

~~a housing body, at least partially surrounding the base body, said housing body including a disk body which is secured with respect to the base body by a basic position magnet arrangement and which may be moved with respect to the base body together with at least one motion element , in combination:~~

(a) an inverted cup-like base body, having an upper portion and a side portion;

(b) a substantially cylindrical rotor hollow body mounted on a shaft, and arranged to rotate with the base body;

(c) a first position sensor for sensing the angular position of the rotor hollow body;

(d) a toothed ring arranged to provide raster movement of the rotor hollow body;

(e) a disk disposed centrally within the upper portion of the base body and arranged for at least one of tilting and lateral displacement within the base body;

(f) a second position sensor for sensing said at least one tilting and lateral displacement; and

(g) a magnet arrangement for restoring said disk to its central position in said base body after movement thereof.

36. (Canceled)

37. (Currently Amended) The position selector device recited in claim 35, further comprising:

~~(a)~~ (h) a stator body element which includes:

(1) at least one magnet element,

(2) at least one noise sphere receptor recess with a switching sound sphere positioned therein, and

(3) a shaft guide recess;

~~(b)~~ (i) wherein the base body ~~is formed as a~~ rotor hollow body which includes:

(1) ~~one~~ a position sensor toothed ring element having at least one position sensor tooth arranged opposite the magnet elements,

(2) ~~one~~ a switching sound ring magnet element with at least a switching sound groove, into which the switching sound spheres are inserted, and

(3) ~~one~~ a shaft element positioned in the shaft guide recess; and

~~(c) (j) a position selector means~~ sensor for determining the position of the rotor hollow body relative to ~~at least one of the housing body and the stator body~~ element.

38. (Currently Amended) The position selector device recited in claim 35, further comprising:

~~(a) a stator body element which includes:~~

~~(1) at least one magnet element,~~

~~(2) at least one noise sphere receptor recess with a switching sound sphere positioned therein, and~~

~~(3) a shaft guide recess;~~

~~(b) wherein the base body is formed as a rotor hollow body which includes:~~

~~(1) one position sensor toothed ring element having at least one position sensor tooth arranged opposite the magnet elements,~~

~~(2) one switching sound ring magnet element with at least a switching sound groove, into which the switching sound spheres are inserted, and~~

~~(3) one shaft element positioned in the shaft guide recess; and~~

~~(c) (h) a moveable tip magnet element arranged on the shaft, with at least one repelling magnet repelling element positioned opposite it, for producing a characteristic motion line (KL), and~~

~~(d) (i) position selector sensor means for determining the position of at least one of the moveable tip magnet element and the rotor hollow body shaft, on one hand side, and the rotor hollow body and the stator body element, repelling magnet with a switching point (KS) after a curve maximum (KLM), on the other side.~~

39. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 35,  
wherein the disk body may be tilted by ~~the motion element~~  
with respect to the ~~rotor hollow~~ base body.

40. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 35,  
wherein the disk body may be displaced laterally by ~~the~~  
~~motion element~~ with respect to the ~~rotor hollow~~ base body.

41. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 35,  
wherein the ~~housing~~ base body is at least partially  
surrounded by a holding hollow cylinder that at least  
partially rests on a ~~dimming element~~ stop ledge.

42. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 35,  
wherein the ~~housing~~ base body includes a tilt switch  
receiver recess in which the disk body is ~~held with~~ retained  
in the basic central position magnet by means of the magnet  
arrangement.

43. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 35 42,  
wherein the ~~tip~~ tilt switch recess is provided with an at

least partially surrounding displacement wall ~~and the disk body is provided with an at least partially surrounding displacement body recess.~~

44. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 35, wherein the ~~basic position magnet arrangement consists of~~ comprises an upper magnet positioned in the disk body, ~~opposing which an~~ and a lower plate element ~~is positioned that is located within a final plate element of the rotor hollow body~~ below the upper magnet.

45. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 44, wherein the lower plate element ~~is formed by~~ comprises at least one of an iron plate element ~~or by~~ and a lower magnet.

46. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 36 35, wherein the second position sensor arrangement ~~consists of~~ comprises at least one of a light switch ~~or of~~ sensor and a magnet arrangement, opposite element which is moveable with respect to at least one display Hall switch ~~may be moved~~ sensor.

47. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 36 35, wherein the second position sensor magnet arrangement ~~consists of~~ comprises a display magnet element which is ~~positioned in~~ attached to the disk ~~and a bodies to which at least one display plate is assigned, and on which a first display Hall switch sensor is mounted~~ arranged adjacent the magnet element.

48. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 36 35, wherein the ~~magnet arrangement consists of~~ second position sensor comprises ~~one~~ a ring magnet element with a north and a south pole (N, S) that is held by the disk body and has a ~~working an operative~~ relationship with the ~~rotor hollow body and to which at least a second display~~ one Hall switch ~~sensor is assigned, which is held by the stator body~~ element.

49. (Canceled)

50. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 36 37, wherein a double Hall ~~switch~~ sensor is assigned to at least one of the magnet elements as a position ~~arrangement~~ sensor.

51. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 50, wherein additional double Hall ~~switches~~ sensors are used as a rotation ~~display-switch~~ sensors.

52. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 35, wherein a label plate is positioned in the disk ~~body~~.

53. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 35 48, wherein the disk ~~body~~ and the ~~rotor hollow body~~ ring magnet element are connected via a linking pin.

54. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 35 37, wherein two opposing noise sphere receptor recesses are positioned in the stator body element in each of which a switching-sound sphere is located.



55. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 35 37, wherein there are as many switching-sound grooves in the switching-sound ring magnet element as there are position sensor teeth on the position sensor ring element.

56. (Previously Added) Device according to claim 55, wherein the positions of the switching-sound grooves and the position sensor teeth are mutually compatible.

57. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 38, wherein at least ~~the~~ one plate element is positioned on the one side and a counter-magnet element as a repelling magnet element is positioned on the other side opposing the ~~tilt~~ tip magnet element.

58. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 38 57, wherein the ~~tilt~~ tip magnet element is positioned with its one magnetic pole (N, S) opposite the same magnetic pole (N, S) of the counter-magnet element and with its other magnetic pole (N, S) at least opposite the plate element.

59. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 35 38, wherein the ~~tilt~~ tip magnet element includes as one half a magnetic north pole (N) and as the other half a magnetic south pole (S).

60. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 38 57, wherein a damping body is at least partially positioned between the plate element and the ~~tilt~~ tip magnet element.

61. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 38 57, wherein the plate element is a steel plate element.

62. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 38 60, wherein the ~~tilt~~ tip magnet element, the counter-magnet element, the ~~steel~~ plate element and the damping body are positioned in a ~~tilt~~ tip switch housing body.

63. (Canceled)

64. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 38,  
wherein the tilt tip magnet element ~~may be~~ is displaced by a  
pushrod element that is integrated in the shaft element.

65. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 35 37,  
wherein the magnet element, ~~the ring magnet element, and~~ the  
switching-sound ring magnet element, ~~the tilt magnet~~  
~~element, and the counter-magnet element~~ are permanent  
magnets.

66. (Canceled)

67. (Canceled)

68. (Previously Added) Device according to claim 35 38,  
wherein at least the tilt tip magnet element is at least  
partially surrounded by an iron yoke.